

Contribution Form

I would like to contribute to the Nevada Gift of Life Education Fund that will be used to pay for the production and dissemination of educational materials regarding the importance of organ and tissue donation.

Here's my contribution of \$ _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone number: (____) _____

Email: _____

Please make your check payable to:

Gift of Life Education Fund
Bureau of Consumer Protection
100 North Carson St.
Carson City, NV 89701-4717

☐ I would appreciate additional information about becoming an organ and tissue donor.

Or visit our web site at <http://giftoflife.nv.gov>

Gift of Life Education Fund

Created as a result of the passage of Assembly Bill 497 during the 2001 Legislative session, the funding mechanism derived from donations that will be used to better educate the public about the vital importance of being an organ donor.

When you apply for a Nevada driver's license or renew your existing license, you will be asked if you would like to donate \$1 or more to the Gift of Life Education Fund.

The money will be used to purchase and disseminate educational materials about how individuals can give "The Gift of Life" through organ and tissue donation.

For More Information

Nevada Organ & Tissue Donation Task Force
www.giftoflife.nv.gov
(775) 775 687-6300, ext 233

The Transplant Network
www.thetransplantnetwork.com
(775) 324-4501

Nevada Donor Network
www.nevadadonornetwork.org
(702) 796-9600

Department of Motor Vehicles
www.dmvnv.com/
(775) 684-4368

United Network of Organ Sharing
www.unos.org
(804) 330-8503

Nevada Bureau of Consumer Protection-
Attorney Generals Office
<http://ag.state.nv.us>
In Northern Nevada: (775) 687-6300
In Southern Nevada: (702) 486-3420

Sierra Eye and Tissue Donor Services
www.dcid.org
(775) 323-1566

California Transplant Donor Network
www.ctdn.org
1-800-55-DONOR (36667)

Intermountain Donor Services
www.idslife.org
1-800-833-6667

"The Gift of Life!" Pass It On.



Organ and Tissue Donation

One Person Can Make A World of Difference


"The passage of Assembly Bill 497 during the 2001 Legislative session will better ensure that Nevadans and others desperately in need of either an organ or tissue donation will be given an enhanced opportunity to gain The Gift of Life".


*2001 Legislative Session
Assemblywoman Dawn Gibbons
State Senator Ray Rawson
Attorney General Frankie Sue Del Papa*


www.giftoflife.nv.gov (State of Nevada)
www.thetransplantnetwork.com (No. Nevada)
www.nvdonor.org (So. Nevada)


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DID YOU KNOW?


 There are more than an estimated 90,000 people currently waiting for a life-saving organ transplant.


 Every 14 minutes another name gets added to the National Waiting List.

 Sixteen transplant candidates die every day waiting for their second change at life.


 One person can help more than 100 people by agreeing to become an organ and tissue donor.
The Gift of Life! Pass It On..

Become An Organ and Tissue Donor

 When you obtain or renew your driver's license through the Nevada Department of Motor Vehicles, you will have the opportunity to become an organ and tissue donor.

 If you agree, the words "ORGAN DONOR" will be imprinted on the front of your license along with the red heart.

 **ORGAN DONOR**

 Organ Donor License plates are also available for purchase on-line at:

www.dmvnv.com/



That's all there is to it!

The Gift of Life! Pass It On..

REGISTRY ENROLLMENT Sign-up Today!

Nevada's new organ donor registry is managed by Statline. Organ donor registries have led to increased effectiveness and efficiency in organ procurement organization operations. The registry improves their ability to identify a decedent's wishes about donation.

ALL INFORMATION IS CONFIDENTIAL

Nevada law prohibits the DMV from selling or sharing Donor Registry Information with any company or government agency

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

First Name: _____

Middle Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone number: (____) _____

Date of Birth (required): ____/____/____/

Driver's License or State ID#: _____

Signature: _____

Signature: _____
(Parent or guardian if under 18 years of age)


Send completed form to:

The Transplant Network
1130 Ryland Street
Reno, NV 89502


Frequently Asked Questions?

 **What organs and tissue can be donated?**


Organs that can be donated include the heart, kidneys, pancreas, lungs, liver and intestines. Tissue that can be donated includes eyes, skin, bone, heart valves, veins and tendons.

 **Are there any costs to my family if I become an organ and tissue donor?**


NO. Donation costs nothing to the donor's family or estate.

 **Will my decision to become an organ and tissue donor affect the quality of my medical care?**

NO. Organ and tissue recovery happens only after every effort has been made to save your life, and death has been legally declared.

 **Will donation disfigure my body? Can there still be an open casket funeral?**

Donation neither disfigures the body, nor rules out an open casket funeral.

 **What happens to my donated organs and tissues?**

A national system is in place to distribute organ and tissue donation fairly. Factors such as race, gender, age, income and celebrity are NOT considered when determining who receives organ and tissue donations. Furthermore, the buying and selling of organs, tissues and eyes is illegal.

All major religions approve of organ and tissue donation and consider donation the greatest gift.

Enhancing Lives Through Organ and Tissue Donation

